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Dear Sir/Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed October 19, 2006 to further highlight reasons why the application is in condition for allowance.

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